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The Mortgage Shark will be Banished from Many a Farmer's Door-The Outlook Never More Encouraging.

A Glorious Promise. RANSAS CITY, June 16.—In summing up

the crop outlook for Kansas the Journal gives figures that are exceedingly encouraging, and the conclusions drawn are equally applicable to almost every part of Missouri as well. The Journal says: The acreage, the average yield and the price all promise to be big, and the result will be that Kansas will reap the greatest sum of money for its wheat that it has ever re-ceived. The acreage is about 50 per cent more than last year, or somewhat over 8,000,000 acres. The yield is variously estimated at from fifteen to twenty bushels; some even place it higher than that and say that it will be equal to the greatest ever known, or over twenty-two bushels. Taking an average of 17.50 bushels, below which it is not likely to fall, and the total yield will be 52.500.000. DR. J. M. MARSHALL,

DENTIST-OFFICE ONE DOOR WEST OF
the postoffice. Teeth extracted without
low figures. It is pretty difficult to prelow figures. It is pretty difficult to pre-dict what prices of grain will be, but the certainty of a demand for the wheat of this country in Europe gives assurance that good prices will prevail in spite of the universally large crops of this country. Last year after harvest the price went up, contrary to the usual course of the mar-

> such a result. A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

An Awful Catastrophe to a Swiss Pleasure · Excursion

ket, and from August to December ruled

from 90 to 93 cents per bushel, above the present price. Suppose that it were to be worth 75 cents per bushel, the crop would bring \$89,375,000, fully \$15,000,000 more than the wheat crop of the state has ever

before realized. It sounds almost too good

to be true and yet the figures furnished by

the state board of agriculture guarantee

BERLIN, June 16 .- A fearful accident is reported from Switzerland. A railroad oridge across the Menichon, a small affluent of the Rhine, at Stein in the canton of Basal not far from Germany, gave way to-day under the weight of an excursion train, crowded with throngs of people who were on their way to a musical fete. Two engines and the first car with all its

assengers plunged into the river while the other cars remained suspended over the stream. All the trainmen were killed, and every passenger in the submerged car was drowned. Thirteen cars were saved. The number of killed was at least sixty and of those injured not less than 100. The fearful calamity has caused a terrible shock in Switzerland and South Germany. Rescuers hastened to the scene and the injured were taken care of.

A Fatal Collision.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 16 .- A special to the News from Evansville, Ind., says a serious wreck occurred on the southern division of the Louisville & Nashville road about 3 o'clock this morning. The south bound train, which left this city at 1:88 o'clock this morning, had clear sailing until just before reaching Sebree City, about forty miles away. There the main track was obstructed by three flat cars loaded with cinders and a collision oc-

Engineer Al Clark was killed instantly. The fireman, a man named Davis, was badly scalded and suffered internal injurles which will result fatally, and the pos-tal clerk was pinioned by heavy timbers

and had the life almost crushed out of him. An Editor Shot Dead. BUTTE, MONT., June 12 .- W. J. Penrose,

editor of the Mining Journal and a member of the legislature, was shot dead, eary this morning, near his home. He was found dead on the sidewalk. A bullet hole was in his temple above the left ear. There is no trace of the murderer. Belle Browning has been arrested on suspicion. The general belief is that the crime was committed for revenge by some one who had been offended by an article

A Boy Accidentally Shot.

MARIONVILLE, Mo., June 16 .- William Bolander, a lad about 16 years old, accidentally shot and killed himself yesterday at the residence of his father, Henry Bolander near Livonia, about twenty miles east of here. He had been out hunting with a small rifle and when approaching the house the hammer caught on a twig which caused the gun to discharge the bullet into his right temple, killing him instantly.

Edison's Latest.

New. York, June 14.-Edison's latest production, an electrical fan for office ventilation, like all Edison's inventions, has taken well with the general public. Contrary to the usual run of new inventions, the mannfacturers have placed it on the market at a very reasonable figure, (twenty-two dollars) the result being that the Edison Company has been unable to meet the demand for them.

A Bad Wreck. LITCHPIELD, Ill., June 16 .- A passenger train on the Big Four road was run into this morning by a freight train at right angles, wrecking the baggage car and About twenty passengers were in the coach, all of whom were more or less hurt. Thomas Clegg, of Mattoon, Ill., was fatally injured. Conductor A. R. Dixon and Brakeman J. M. Miller were seriously injured.

Marionville, Mo., June 16.—Word has been received from Mendota, a mining town about eleven miles nurtheast of this city, which has recently gone through a temperance revival, that a number of women temperance crusaders went to Guffey & Erickson's drug store in that place this afternoon and poured out all of their intoxicating liquors.

Natural Gas in Minnesota

WARREN, Minn., June 16 .- In sinking an artesian well two miles west of this city, natural gas was struck at a depth of twenty feet. It comes out with such force that it throws stones thirty feet high. Gas was accidentally ignited and a flam shot up into the air forty feet.

Arrested For Burglarly.

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A SERIOUS COMPLICATION.

Threatened Necessity of an Patra S sion of the Knusas Legislature.

Kansas City, June 14.-The Journal's Topeka correspondent says that an emergency has arisen that threatens to close most of the charitable institutions of the state unless an extra session of the legislature is had to vote additional appropria-tions. The trouble grows out of the cutting down of the laws of labor by the last legislature, without a proportionate in-crease of money for additional help re-

Dr. Buck, superintendent of the reform

while at the industrial school for girls at Beloit, fully one-half will have to be dis-men.

The board reluctantly decides that there children as rapidly as possible and no more will be admitted.

Unfortunate if True.

TOPEKA, Kas., June 13 .- The eight hour advocates have succeeded in closing all of the state charitable institutions, unless the legislature is convened by the middle of September, which it will be, to undo the work of last winter. At the last session the eight hour law was passed, making it a misdemeanor for any state, county, city or municipal officer to permit more than eight hours' work on the part of any emunless in case of an emergency created by war or the necessity of saving life. The attorney general has given it as dilemma than the employment of some 1,200 people in the public institutions of

The board of trustees held a meeting today and, learning the opinion of the at-torney general, notified the governor that unless a special session of the legislature was called before the end of September to either repeal this law or pass additional appropriations. propriation bills, to make appropriations covering the necessarily increased expenses, they would close the two insane asylums, the imbecile school and the reform school for girls and would probably close the reform school for boys a month later. In order to do this they would return all the insame to the counties from which they came and send the imbecile youths and the incorrigible girls and boys back to their friends to be cared for as

Benson is Guilty.

LEAVENWORTH, June 12.-The Benson ury returned this verdict at the opening of the United States circuit court this

We, the jury, duly impaneled and sworn, do, upon our oaths, find the defendant, C. A. Benson, guilty of murder, as charged in the first count of the indictment, and not guilty of the second and third counts as charged in the indictment. The verdict voices local sentiment and is eminently satisfactory.

Mr. Ady's closing speech last night was ten minutes longer than the hour and a half allowed to him. Judge Riner notified him when the time was up. Mr. Ady, who had denounced Benson with a fervor that was not feigned, replied: "Your honor, I can't quit; I can't get over this case."

He was indulged for ten minutes and closed his thrilling denunciation and arraigument of Benson to a crowded court

He was doomed and he knew it, wincing perceptibly at the thought that mercy for him on earth was no more. This conviction spread to the minds of all in the court room, and when the throng filed out there was no doubt of the fate awaiting Benson. Benson appeared in court this morning, pale and worn. He sat unmoved through-

out the session.

More Labor Trouble.

COLUMBUS, O., June 13 .- The strike of the ore handlers at the ore docks at Ashtabula, which has been in progress for several days is assuming an alarming as-pect and trouble is feared. An increase tempted to work last Monday but they were driven from the docks. The ore company made requisition on the mayor who in turn called upon the sheriff for protection. The sheriff expresses the that any posse he could raise in Ashtabula will be inadequate to cope with the strik

It is believed a riot will follow an attempt to resume work and the sheriff of Ashtabula county requested Colonel Gibbons, whose headquarters are in Cleveland, to aid him with 260 of the Ohio National

An Indefinite Vacation.

WASHINFTON, June 13 .- It is denied pos itively at the state department that Mr. Porter, our minister to Italy, has been recalled. He has been constantly on duty in Rome for more that two years which is not usual in the ministerial service.

It is stated that he will not leave Europe but nevertheless there is reason to be lieve that his leave of absence from Rome will be so indefinite in its terms as to warrant him in delaying his return to post unless some step has been taken by the Italian government looking to the return of its minister to the United States.

Panis, June 11 .- At an early hour yester day morning a dynamite cartridge was placed in front of the police station at Clichy and was then exploded. The police building was greatly damaged by the number of windows in the immediate neighborhood of the police station. The explosion is said to be a plot by the sn

Dynamite For the Police.

An Inhuman Father.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb. June 18 .- Corne lius Meyers, expressman, was arrested charged with inhumanly treating his 12year-old son. Meyers has been in the habit of beating the boy, and a few days sgo chained him in a damp cellar and left him there without food or dring.

Hay Cutters Elected. ARRANSAS CITY, Kas., June 13,-'Che Cherokee Indian police yesterday ejected a lot of hay cutters from the Cherokee strip. A large force of men has been at work cutting hay there for ten days or more and hundreds of tons have been marketed in Kausas. SHE SWEEPS THEM OUT.

RUSSIA EXCLUDES EVERY ONE BUT THE FRENCH.

Jewish Persecution Extended to Others -Among the Jews Are Old Soldiers Who Have Served Russia Faithfully.

All But the French.

Sr. Persusuung, June 16.-The Jewish persecution is extending to all foreigners Dr. Buck, superintendent of the retorn school for boys, said the new superintendent who takes his place July I, would be forced to discharge one-third of the boys sustained there. By so doing he would be sustained there. By so doing he would be sustained there. By so doing he would be sustained there. in Russia, especially to Germans, Poles forced to discharge one-third of the boys sustained there. By so doing he would be enabled to divide his present force so as to enabled to divide his present force so as to institution open. entirely two of the insane asylum build- Prince Kuropatkin, governor general of ings and sending the inmates back to their own county, he might possibly so divide his attendants, 130 in number, as to keep possibly 200 insane. There are now 750, the Central Asian railway, who did all the contract of the contract of the central Asian railway, who did all the contract of the central Asian railway, who did all the central Asian railway. The same action would be taken at Ossa- best work and filled sixty or eighty per watomic. At the imbecile school, probably cent of the responsible positions. The half of the unfor unates might be kept, same order gradually expels all foreign-

Among the Jews expelled from Moscow The board reluctantly decides that there must also be a reduction of the number of the St. George cross, the highest possible reorphans maintained at the orphan asylum ward for valor on the field. One hundred at Atchison. Homes will be found for the such, artisans, who had served their time, petitioned the czar against such contume lious treatment as men who had risked their lives and were ready to risk them again in the service of the country.

Sensational Charges.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 14 .- There was some very startling evidence produced before the Bardsley investigating committee this afternoon, and prominent United States officials names brought into the case in a manner entirely unexpected to the majority of the committee.

Assistant Bank Examiner Jones, who is very close to Bank Examiner Drew, was was on the stand and gave the committee the information regarding Comptroller of the dilemma than the employment of some affairs of the Keystone bank that has hitherto been kept carefully guarded. This was that on the 13th day of last February Comptroller Lacey was in this city and personally visited the Keystone bank building and was shown the books and given a full insight into its condition as known at the time by Bank Examiner

Another sensation was the statement made by General Louis Wagner, the exdirector of public works. This statement connected the name of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Nettleton with the attempt to make Nelson F. Evans director of the Spring Garden bank.

MANUFACTURERS OF SUGAR. What They Must Do to Obtain the 2-Cent

Bounty. KANSAS CITT, June 18.-General H. F. Devol, collector of this internal revenue district, has just received a letter from Washington relative to the new law regulating the production of sugar. The Mc-Kinley law specifies that any manufacturer of sugar, may receive therefor a bounty of 2 cents on each pound, provided certain regulations are lived up to, and the letter, which is as follows, explains those regula-

"Sin:-Your attention is called to the provisions of the act of Oct. 1, 1890, which requires that producers of sugar should file their notices, applications for license and bonds prior to July 1, in order to ob-

A Dastardly Attempt.

Marshall, Ill., June 14.-Last night a dastardly attempt was made to kill Ira Travoli, his wife and five children by blowing up their house with dynamite. They slept in the north end of the house and all escaped unburt. The entire south end was blown to atoms, and the force of the explosion tore a hole in the ground about four feet in diameter and a foot and a half deep. To-day a warrant was issued for the arrest of John Leggett, whose farm adjoins Travoli's. They have quarreled a great deal lately, and tracks from Tra-voli's house to Leggett's were plainly visi-

Chistian Missions in China Attacked. LONDON, June 14.-Dispatches from Shanghai announce fresh excesses upon the part of the anti-European element in the population of China. Attacks upon the Christian missions in the interior continue. In one case the Chinese troops sent to repress the rioters sided in with them and made matters still worse. More serious rioting has occurred at Takatang, where the lady missionrys were compelled to flee for their lives. The ladies arrived at Kinkian, one of the treaty ports on the Yang-tse-kiang river.

Reducing the Duties. PANAMA, June 16 .- The president of Peru has issued a decree admitting free of duty into the republic the following articles: Live sheep and cattle, dried meats, salt beef, dried, smoked or pickled fish, wheat and corn, potatoes and all other vegetables, eggs, cheese, chestnuts, peas, beans, rice, rape seed, herbs and spices, and has decreed an export duty of 20 soles, silver, per head on cattle exported, and 2 soles per head on sheep exported.

Swift Justice.

GREELY, Col., June 14 .- As the second section of freight train No. 11 on the Union Paoific was pulling out of Eaton yesterday Brakeman John Dillon tried to put a tramp off the train. The tramp shot Dillon four times, killing him instantly. The tramp jumped from the train and van. He was followed by Brakeman Mattingly, who caught him and shot him three times. The tramp died in an hour after.

Three Negroes Killed. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 16.—The Gazette's special from Arkadelphia, Ark., gives the particulars of the killing of three negroes and the wounding of the fourth one, near Clear Springs. The sheriff attempted to levy an execution on some property, the negroes resisted, a pitched battle ensued with the results above stated.

Jewelers Look Out!

for counterfeiting in case they are caught gold plating silver or nickel coins for use as bangles. This action is taken because it has been discovered that some of these bangies have been passed as the gold coins they resembled.

THE DEATH RECORD. General John MeNell Drope Bend to Be

Sr. Louis, June 11.-General John Me-Neil dropped dead from heart disease last evening in a branch postoffice in the

Southern part of the city. He was 77 years old. In 1861, on a call for troops from Waskington, General McNeil organized a com-pany and was elected captain, and later was appointed colonel of a cavalry regi-ment and sent to Northern Missouri, where the title of general was bestowed upon trim. He became generally known through what is sometimes called the "Palyra massacre," he having ordered the execution of ten Confederates because of the refusal of Confederate General Porter to release one Andrew Allsman, whom General McNeil claimed had been unlaw fully imprisoned.

Wonderful Cures. Pittshung, June 13.—The truly remark-able cures of all allments that flesh is heir to, effected by Father Mollinger at the shrine of St. Anthony on Troy Hill, Allegheny, is attracting attention throughout the country. Over 1,000 invalids from va-rious parts of the country have arrived in men accompanied by the girl crossed this city since Monday, and they are com-ing by every train. Several of the num-afterwards they went back and later on ber whose ailments are apparently beyond all human power to relieve, have already sight the men returned to Philadelphia been restored to health or greatly relieved. To-day Father Mollinger was obliged to in his identification of the body. The po-move from the Sacristy of the little church lice are inclined to the theory of suicide. to the more commodious school building adjoining. At one time over 2,000 patients were awaiting their turn to receive the venerable father's blessings and whatever remedies he should apply.

A Strange Accident. BERLIN, June 11 .- Military and other ircles here and elsewhere are discussing s strange and fatal accident which occurred at the Tempelhof yesterday in the presence of the emperor. A party of gren-adiers were being exercised by the emhurled a number of them to the ground. When the men who had not been struck

by the electric fluid had sufficiently recovered their presence of mind it was found that the officer in command and three soldiers were insensible. Two of the latter died almost immediately afterwards. It is supposed that the rifle barrels and bayonets of the soldiers attracted the electricity which caused such fatal results.

THE LAND COURT.

Henry C. Sluss is the Member From the State of Kansas.

Washington, June 12 .- The president this afternoon made the following appointments: Leonard W. Colby, to be assistant attorney general, as provided by act approved March 3, 1891. Joseph R. Reed, of Iowa, to be chief

justice of the court of private land claims. Wilber F. Stone, of Colorado; Henry C. Sluss of Kansas; Thomas C. Fuller, of North Carolina, and William M. Murray, of Tennessee, to be associate justices of the court of private land claims. Matthew G. Reynolds, of Missouri, to be United States attorney for the court of private

The Hunt Lynching. Walla Walla, June 13 .- The grand jury empaneled to investigate the lynching of A. D. Hunt by the soldiers on April 25 has made a report to the superior court. The report says in part: "We found a true bill against only seven enlisted men of the Fourth United States cavalry yet we are certain there are a number of soldiers against whom insufficient evidence is procurable to warrant an indictment, they are equally guilty with those indicted."

A Lucky Kansan. Lincoln, Neb., June 18.—Professor ames H. Canfield, professor of history in the Kansas state university at Lawrence, has been elected chancellor of the Nebraska state university and accepted the posi-

tion to-day. The salary is \$5,000 and his services will commence July I. He was a candidate against Pfeffer for the United States senate, was a native of Ohio and was once lawyer in Michigan.

Sam Small A Defaulter. OGDEN, U. T., June 18 .- The committee appointed by the M. E. conference, which has just closed, to audit the accounts of Sam Small in connection with the university, report that they find him in arrears over \$1,000. It was decided that no action should be taken in the erring minister's

Georgia conference for whatever settlement Sam's brethren in the South deemed

case, but that the latter be left with the

Where is Bulling. Sr. Louis, June 14.-There seems to be mystery about the reported capture of Bulling, the wife murderer, who escaped from Savanush, Mo., a week before the day set for the hanging. The first advices stated that he had been captured in Galveston, Tex., but it now appears that he is held in Chicago by the Pinkerton de-tectives, pending the settlement of the question of reward

The Brigands Retreating. CONSTANTINOPLE, June 16 .- The brig-

ands who, on June 1, captured several passengers on a train near Tcherskoi and carried them to the mountains, where they were kept until a heavy ransom was paid, are retreating toward the Black See Bulgarian genskarmes attacked them, and it is believed Thanossia was wounded.

icane, causing much damage, has swept over Eastern Galicia. During the storm an entire forest was partly uprooted, and the towns of Podkamin and Prukwa suffered considerably.

Buda Peste, June 13 .- A terriffic hur-

The Illinois Fair Bill. SPRINGPIELD, Ill., June 14 .- The confer mending an appropriation of \$800,000 was adopted by the house yesterday and the bill passed. It had already been passed

Following Her Husband. CHICAGO, June 18.—The secret service officers have notified all the jewelers of the city that hereafter they will be prosecuted suicide at a late hour last night by cutting ber throat with a razor. Several years ago her husband committed suicide in the same manner, and she has never recovered from the shock, which, with ill health, caused her to commit the deed.

No Armistice.

Paris, June 13.—A dispatch from Santiago, Chile, says that the United States minister there has unuccessfully tried to minister the Cheyenne Indian agency of 250 mile cows at \$28.83 per head and 250 heifers at \$14.95 each.

Dead in the Delaware. CAMDEN, N. J., June 12.-The body of a

pretty young woman was found floating in the Delaware river above the Vine street terry landing to-day. Mystery surrounds the cause of her death. On the wharf near where the body was found a pocketbook was picked up containing a receipted bill in the name of Blanche Humphreys. Several articles of wearing apparel were also found. These are practically the only clues to the un-tertunate woman's identity. An examination of the body revealed two bruises on one of her limbs. No other marks of vie-levce have been discovered. The clothing is of good quality and the woman was svidently refined.

Mrs. Coleman, who resides near the river, states that near midnight last night she heard a scream and a voice cry out, "Yor God's sake don't," and then she neard a splash.

A deck hand on a ferry boat which grosses the river between Philadelphia and this city, above the landing place at which the body was found, saw the body this afternoon and recognized it as that of a girl he saw on the boat on which he was employed last night. He says that early the three came over again. Near midwithout the woman. The man is positive

A Double Life.

WICHITA, Kas., June 11.-William Lingow, one of the most prominent farmers of this county, was arrested yesterday at Vau Buren, Ark., as a bigamist. Lingow seems to have been leading a double life for some years. Nearly twenty years ago he married a girl named Mary Henry, in Kansas City, Mo., and now, after she has borne him eleven children, comes the dis-covery that he had, when he married her and still has another wife with whom he peror. A vivid flash of lightning startled has been in the habit of spending a part of and half blinded the men on parade and each year in Arkansas, where he is supposed to have gone for his health.

> Washington, June 18 .- Commissioner Raum, of the pension bureau, is making arrangements to still further increase the issue of pension certificates and hopes to be able to reach a daily issue of from 1,800 to 1,900, which would be an increase of about 400.

During General Raum's incumbency the

duced from 14,225 to 2,200, and in conse-

quence about forty special examiners now in the field will be called in.

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS, N. J., June 18.— The fifty-two ton new breach-loading gun, the largest ever made in this country, was tried at Sandy Hook yesterday. It was cast at the Watervlist arsenal, West Troy, is 86% feet long, bore 34 feet, and will stand a charge of 400 pounds of powder. it is calculated to give a muzzle penetration in wrought iron of thirty-two inches. The gun threw a distance of fifteen miss. and gave all the buildings on the point of the Hook a lively shaking up.

Doing Up Lottery Men. CINCINNATI, June 18 .- Last week the in Covington Kv. a false message, purporting to be from the Evansville dealer, to discontinue reports this drawings. At the usual hour the Evansville dealer received the reports of drawings in cipher, forwarded by a confederate in Covington. The Evansville man is said to have lost \$2,500 by this for-

CHICAGO, June 11 .- Ed Thayer, the aged president of the Brandon National bank. of Brandon, Vt., after transacting some business in Omaha, left that place for Chicago with a small hand satchel containing \$10,000 in notes and mortgages. While he was in the dining car, en route, the bag disappeared, and he has been

unable to get any trace of it since.

Robbed a Postoffice. WICHITA, Kas., June 16 .- Alfred McMurray, a youth of sixteen, was captured yeserday while stealing letters from the postoffice box held by All Hallows academy. One of the sisters of the institution lost the key to the box a couple of weeks ago and not a letter has been received at the

academy since then. News Notes.

The Osage river is reported higher than A 5-year-old girl in Leeds, Scotland, has been found murdered after the fashion of

Jack the Ripper. The natives of Matonga have massacred, roasted and devoured a French expedition from Loango under M. Crampel. Bishop Knight of Milwaukee, directed in his will that he be buried in a plain pine

The committee examining the state insane asylum in Anna, Ill., reports gross brutality in the treatment of patients. A druggist in Clifford, N. Y., threw sulphuric acid over the heads of two dogs who were desperately fighting. Both

box with no outer box or covering.

dogs had to be killed.

killed by a Missouri Pacific passenger train, ten miles East of Atchison. Three editors of Quesaltenango, Guatemula, have been arrested and loaded with

chains for adversely criticising the govern-ment. They are fed with bread and water and are compelled to work on the streets several hours daily. Frank Jelinek and Herman Bluttig, both

on the throat with a pointed stick, which entered his lung, and killed him. Mrs. Martha Wayland, aged 80, disappeared from her home, near Macomb, Ill. Her grandson went into a pasture and there discovered a drove of hogs fighting over some object. An investigation disclosed that the brutes were feeding on the

woman's body. When J. K. Thompson, agod 65, re-turned from work last week, he found the house deserted. His handsome young wife,

of 22, had packed her trunk and left. Frank Jelinek and Herman Bluttig. swaiting trial for burglary in the county jail at Manitowoc, Wis., quarreled when Jelinek struck Bluttig in the throat with a pointed stick, which entered his lungs and killed him. For two days the Santa Fe railway hired

A CIPHER DISPATCH.

It Was Harnfless, Dut It Greatly Excited the Great War Secretary.

In the days before the war General Rufus Ingalls was quartermaster at Portland, Ore., and one of his closest friends was James Nesmith, an already

prominent lawyer there. The war came on and in the mutations of time Oregon had become a state, with Nesmith as one of its senators, and Ingalis had been transferred to Washington for duty. Both were bachelors and jolly good fellows, fond of jolly companionship, and so they jointly took one of those old fashioned brick dwellings that then stood on Pennsylvania avenue. When General Ingalis became chief quartermaster of the army of the Potomae the housekeeping was not broken up, for

his duties brought him frequently here. Senator Nesmith was a democrat of the Douglas stripe and a thorough union man. He was intensely interested in the progress of the war and was never tired of hearing General Ingalls tell of operations in the field, marches, campaigns and battles. Finally he asked Ingalls to telegraph him the next time a battle was coming. for he ardently desired to witness one.

Ingalls agreed. In those dark days of the war Mr. Stanton was the one autocrat here who was feared by everyone; not even Mr. Seward's 'little bell' was so dreaded as one of his orders. Every telegraph wire from "the front" led into the old war department building, where a corps of telegraph operators was kept on duty day and night, and every dispatch that came or was sent was submitted to the personal inspection of the secretary of war or General

Pelouze, his military secretary. One day in 1863 a message came finshing its dots and dashes into the operator's room in the war department. It came from headquarters of the army of the Potomac and was addressed to "Hon. James Nesmith. senator from Oregon, Washington. Then followed a lot of undecipherable words, and the dispatch was duly signed "Ingalls, chief quartermaster.

The chief operator at once rushed number of cases awaiting investigation by special examiners in the field has been reto Secretary Stanton with the dispatch, remarking that it was in cipher. Mr. Stanton saw that the message was unintelligible, but noting the names of sender and receiver, and also knowing that an important movement of the army was to be made in a very short time, jumped at once at a conclusion, thus: Nesmith, being a democratic senator, was, of course, a traitor to the union. Ingalis, being at headquarters of the army, could communicate dangerous information, and here it was.

> men there in those days that could discount the cryptogram business if a confederate spy was caught, but they couldn't make head or tail of the wire message from General Ingalis to his chum. Senator Nesmith. Mr. Stanton went wild with wrath. Ingalls was a traitor. He would have

But it was in a strange cipher-

agreed upon, no doubt. They had

once, and have him shot before twenty-four hours passed by. Officer after officer was sent for, but none could interpret the strange cipher, until at last there was at least a dozen in the room, and the secretary still

a summary court martial upon him at

raging for Ingalis' immediate military Just as the storm was at its height General "Bob" Williams (he was a major then) appeared with a bunch of papers to be signed and looked a bit astonished at the commotion. Quietly to a brother officer he inquired what all

the row was about. Mr. Stanton overheard the remark and rushed up to him with the fatal telegram in his hand and asked excitedly:

"What do you think of that? I've got Ingalis at last, for I knew he was traitor all the time. General Williams took the telegram, read it over slowly and then laughed.

irate secretary. "What do you mean? Can you read that?" "O, yes; that is Chinook."

as he handed the dispatch back to the

"That's just like Ingalls," he said

"What the deuce is Chinook?" "I learned it when I was up in Oregon in the First dragoons, and it is a mongrel language used by all the Indians from Puget sound to the lakes. "What does it say?" " If you want to see a fight, as you

said you did, come down as quick

as you can, for we will have one

within a week. Bring about five gallons of good whisky along, for I have William Locker, a member of Friend. lons of good whisky along, for I have ship Alliance No. 57, of Reno county, was nothing better here than commissary. and that won't suit you." " Half a dozen men there would have tittered if they had dared, but they all got out quickly when the secretary

glared at them and asked what the wanted there. The great war secretary wilted and the orders in preparation for the arrest of Senator Nesmith and for the sumof whom were waiting trial for burgiary, had a quarrel in the county jail at Manimary trial and execution of General towoc, Wis., when Jelinek struck Bluttig Ingalls were revoked. An officer (now dead), who was present that day, told the writer that, in a close association with Mr. Stanton for several years, this was the only time he ever saw

him completely taken off his feet. A Comforting Reflection.

Pat wanted a position under the government, and on being told that he must be prepared to pass a civil service examination, applied himself faithfully to the necessary preparation. Some time later his ambition for public preferment seemed to have deserted him. "What is the matter, Pat?" asked

his former employer, "couldn't you pass the examination?" "I could that, he replied. "I an scores of men at Arkansas City, Kan., and hauled trainload after trainload of stone to Purcell to try and keep the tracks in place, the high water having washed away nearly a quarter of a mile of track and undermined much more.

swered every question on the paper. But," he added, his native wit coming to his rescue, "I guess they thought I knew too much to be wastin' me time washin' windies."—Harper's Magazine. swered every question on the paper. But," he added, his native wit coming